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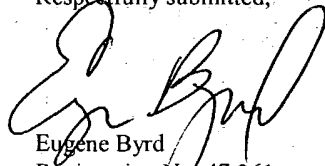
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**35 U.S.C. 6; 37 C.F.R. 1.97; 1.98**

Submitted herewith are copies of prior art domestic patents identified and discussed in the specification of the above identified application under the heading: "DESCRIPTION OF THE PRIOR ART." These are identified on the attached PTO-1449 form.

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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

Examiner Initials	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE if appropriate
	6,056,477	5/2000	Ueda et al.			
	4,894,928	1/1990	Bishop			
	4,842,774	6/1989	Golden			
	4,320,028	3/1982	Leuchtag			

**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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**OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)**


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